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TAGS: EAID, PINS

SUBJ: FAA SECTION 32 - POLITICAL PRISONERS

REF: STATE 140309

AID REP (ACTING) TOOK OCCASION OF INITIAL DISCUSSIONS ON
DL PROJECT PROPOSAL TO BRING SECTION 32 TO ATTENTION OF DIRECTOR,
EXTERNAL RESOURCES DIVISION, MINISTRY OF PLANNING. HIS
RESPONSE WAS "SRI LANKA HAS NO POLITICAL PRISONERS". AS
FAR AS HE KNEW, ALL DETAINEES HAD BEEN OR WERE BEING
APPROPRIATELY CHARGED UNDER CRIMINAL STATUTES. THESE COMMENTS
OFFERED AS MILD RESPONSE TO SUGGESTION THAT HE FAMILIARIZE
HIMSELF WITH PROVISIONS SECTION 32 AND INDICATIONS
CONGRESSIONAL SENTIMENT REFLECTED THEREIN. AID REP
MADE IT ABUNDANTLY CLEAR GSL NOT BEING SINGLED OUT BUT
THAT ALL AID RECIPIENT GOVTS BEING INFORMED OF
PROVISION AND ITS POSSIBLE IMPLICATIONS FOR ASSISTANCE
PROGRAMS. THIS ACTION WAS TAKEN JULY 12.
VAN HOLLEN

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